

ble. Society has, I am well aware, been educated to a certain extent to help the prisoners rather than to think that because a man has once been in prison he is forever lost, still it is a fact that a man who has been in prison is second-hand material, and it is difficult to get him to accept to a great extent in his efforts to obtain remunerative employment that shall be approximately his ability and liking. Many men, even on parole, accept places at small wages where their abilities far exceed the requirements of the work, and the wages are small. As to the manner in which such society as I have indicated would be conducted or its feasibility, I am not prepared to state, but merely leave it to the mature thought and careful study of those interested in the problem of crime and in the criminal himself to evolve a practical plan along these lines. I am quite sure that it will not be a waste of any man's time to study himself in the problem.